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Age has its attractions no less than youth in a more serene and quieter life. But it is this very life of rest without sufficient exercise that brings with it those disorders that arise from inactivity. Chief of these are a chronic, persistent constipation.

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CLEMSON EXTENSION WORK

Article LXIX.

Disadvantages of Cross Breeding.

The modern breeds of pure bred live stock are the results of long years of hard work and study by the best breeders of the world. The youngest of these breeds is now many years old, while the oldest were being bred pure before this country was settled. Live stock breeding is both a science and an art, and to develop a new breed is not a matter of a few years' work, but is the work of several generations.

One of the principles upon which live stock breeding is based is "That like tends to beget like." When two pure breeds of the same breed are mated, we expect the offspring to be like its parents; because there is, back of each of these parents, a long line of pure blood. When two pure breeds not of the same breed are mated, there at once takes place a "battle of breeds," and the offspring will be like that parent whose blood is the strongest. When, therefore, two old breeds, as Tamworth and Berkshire, or Jersey and Holstein, are mated, there is brought into conflict bloods or influences that have taken centuries to reach their present state of perfection.

In the hands of experienced breeders cross breeding was sometimes used to advantage in the formation of new breeds; but in the hands of inexperienced breeders it is a most dangerous practice. The first cross sometimes is good; but after that such breeding is very uncertain, because the offspring will depend upon whichever of its bloods gets the mastery. Then, too, it sometimes occurs that the good blood will balance each other, and there will outcrop some bad character that has been held in check ever since the breed began.

Because of this uncertainty of breeding, a "cross-bred" sire should never be used nor any cross-bred females kept for breeding, except where a pure bred is at the head of the herd. For this reason a "cross-bred" can never bring more on the market than it is worth for meat; and the farmer who breeds such loses the chance of selling his best animals at "pure bred" prices. If, for no other reason than this, the farmer should hesitate to cross breed.

But cross breeding must not be confused with "grading." By grading is meant the mating of a pure bred with a scrub or with an animal with no or very little pure blood. This can be done with perfect safety, because the power is all on one side and the result is sure. A pure-bred Angus bull mated with scrub cows will get over 80 per cent of his calves pure, black, and hornless—so much power has the pure blood over the mixed blood. There is no better way for the young breeder to begin than with a grade herd and a pure bred sire. As his experience grows, so the purity of the blood of his herd increases, and in a few years he will find himself in possession of a herd that, for all practical purposes, is as profitable as a pure bred, and moreover he has learned how to care for a pure bred.

J. M. Burgess,
Asst. Prof. Animal Husbandry.

Explosion at Powder Plant.

Newcastle, Pa., April 4.—One man was blown to bits and another was so badly injured that he will probably die and a number of others had narrow escapes from death in an explosion in the pressing department of the Burton Powder Company's plant, twelve miles from here, to-day. Fragments of the body of the man killed outright were found a quarter of a mile from the scene of the accident.

So terrific was the force of the explosion that the shock was felt here, many persons believing that an earthquake had occurred. For a time all communication with the vicinity adjacent to the wrecked plant was cut off, the detonation having snapped off telephone and telegraph poles. The pressing plant was destroyed and other buildings were damaged.

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MR. RHAME IS DETERMINED.

The Governor Sticks to His Order and Bank Examiner to Office.

Columbia, April 4.—There were no new developments in the Lexington Savings Bank matter to-day, outside of a statement by Governor Blease.

State Bank Examiner B. J. Rhame, who was yesterday removed by the Governor, and who refused to surrender the office until ordered to do so by the courts, is still holding the office and doesn't recognize the removal order of the Governor. Governor Blease states that he will proceed to appoint and commission another bank examiner, and that if the matter gets into the courts he will employ counsel to defend the position he has taken.

It is understood that Mr. Rhame has retained W. F. Stevenson to represent him, for there is no doubt that the courts will finally have to decide the whole matter.

Governor Blease, when asked if there were any new developments in the Lexington Savings Bank matter, made the following statement:

"I presume that very few bankers in this State will allow Mr. Rhame or his assistants to enter their banks for the purpose of interfering with or making any examination into the affairs thereof, since I have issued a proclamation removing him from office. If I were president of a bank and he were to come in and make any request to examine it, I would tell him just as I would any individual citizen of the State, for most assuredly he is no longer an official of the State, and he has no right whatever to go into any bank and ask to inspect it.

"I shall appoint his successor in due time, and after he files his bond, I shall commission him, and if suit is brought against him to test the title of his office, or if it should be necessary for him to bring one to defend the title of his office, I shall employ counsel to look after his interest, and pay him out of the contingent fund of my office, for, of course, all of the people of the State understand that I could not risk this matter, as it now stands, in the hands of the Attorney General, as Mr. Rhame states that he is his personal advisor.

"I have looked up the decisions in this case myself, and I am thoroughly satisfied that I had a right to remove Mr. Rhame and that the courts will sustain my position. If they do not, I think it is high time for the people to know that a retiring Governor can appoint a man to an office for a term of four years, and it does not make any difference what he does or how he does, there is no power which can remove him therefrom."

Statements Were Published.

Lexington, April 4.—That the charge of Governor Blease, in his letter removing B. J. Rhame, State Bank Examiner, to the effect that the statements of the condition of the Lexington Savings Bank were not published, is without foundation is proven by the files of the Lexington Dispatch. The Lexington Savings Bank has always published its reports along with the other banks

WAS FOUND DEAD AT ROADSIDE.

Farmer Accidentally Kills Himself, According to Coroner's Findings.

Orangeburg, April 4.—The dead body of G. Walter Zeigler, a resident of the Fork, a few miles from here, was found early this morning in the public road near Cordova. The deceased had been shot in the body with a load of shot from a gun, presumably his own, which he carried, and which was found near the body in the road, with the stock broken and one barrel discharged.

The coroner has made an investigation with a jury, and a verdict of accident has been rendered. There seems to be no ground for any other conclusion, and the verdict will probably be accepted.

Mr. Zeigler was a widower and leaves two children and one brother and several sisters. He was a prominent farmer of his section.

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Train Hit by Trolley, Three Killed.

Chicago, April 4.—Three persons were killed and 18 hurt when a Chicago and Alton freight train crashed into a trolley car filled with passengers at South Kedzie avenue to-day. The bodies taken from the wreck were those of an unidentified woman, clasp in her arms the lifeless form of a one-year-old baby, and an unidentified man. There were about 60 passengers in the car.

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of the county and State, according to the records here, and the same were forwarded to the State Bank Examiner. The last report of the Lexington Savings Bank appeared in the Dispatch in its issue of March 6. The Dispatch is a leading paper in the county, and it is safe to say that it is read by nearly every depositor of the bank in the county.

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Mrs. McRee FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Woman Charged With Killing; Shot to "Protect Her Honor."

Opelousas, La., April 3.—Mrs. Zee Rude McRee, who has been on trial, accused of manslaughter in connection with killing Allan Garland, a Tulane University student, was acquitted to-day. The jury was out all night.

Mrs. McRee pleaded that she shot "to protect her honor." At her previous trial, charged with murder, the jury failed to agree.

The Garland family has been well known in Louisiana for several generations. Mrs. McRee is the wife of a Southwestern railroad official. Garland was killed in the McRee home last fall.

While Mrs. McRee's lawyers pleaded the "unwritten law" for her, the prosecution attempted to refute this defense by calling witnesses who told of alleged intimate relations between the pair for a long time.

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